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Applicant notes that the Notice of Allowability acknowledges the claim to priority filed in connection with the above-referenced application, but does not explicitly state that the certified copy has been received by the Patent and Trademark Office. In view of the attached PAIR printout and the acknowledgment of receipt of the certified copy in the September 8, 2004 Official Action, it is Applicant's understanding that the certified copy is in fact in the Patent Office's file of this application. If Applicant's understanding is not correct, however, Applicant requests that the Examiner advise Applicant so Applicant can take appropriate action.

Moreover, since the filing of this paper is simply a notification of clarification to be placed in the file, and which has been necessitated by a Patent and Trademark Office error, Applicant's term adjustment should not be reduced on the basis of this paper.

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Respectfully submitted,

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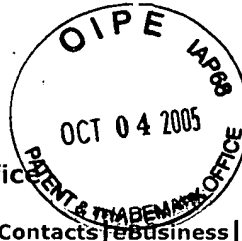
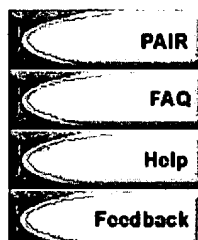
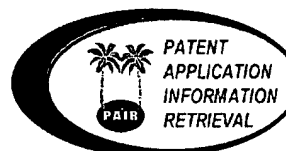
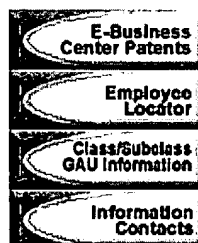
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